

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART
ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

MAY 89

Please complete and return the following questionnaire for our reference file on May Show artists.

FULL NAME: MICHAEL JOSEPH GUTZWILLER

PRESENT POSITION ASSISTANT SCULPTOR TO
DAVID E. DAVIS

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: APRIL 30, 1960, CINCINNATI, OHIO

CATEGORY/PRIMARY MEDIA: SCULPTURE, WOOD, STONE, METAL

ART TRAINING (Schools, Scholarships, etc.): B.F.A. CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART, 1983, SCULPTURE

SKOWHEGAN SCHOOL OF PAINTING AND SCULPTURE, 1982

ADMISSIONS REVIEW BOARD, CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART, 1983

SCHOLARSHIPS: SKOWHEGAN SCHOOL OF PAINTING AND SCULPTURE, 1982

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART HONORARY SCHOLARSHIPS, 1980, 1981

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN (include location and year):

CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART - MAY SHOW, 1984

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART - SUMMER SHOW, 1983

GUND TRAVELING SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION EXHIBITION, 1983

CLEVELAND WOMEN'S CITY CLUB STUDENT EXHIBITION, 1982

CLEVELAND AMERITRUST SHOW, 1982

COLLECTIONS THAT NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

CLEVELAND WOMEN'S CITY CLUB

PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

AWARDS:

We would appreciate having a statement about your philosophy and work as an artist—either general or something specific about the piece(s) selected for this year's May Show to aid us in the preparation of gallery talks and in the release of publicity materials. For more space, use the back of this sheet.

I HAVE OFTEN THOUGHT, I AM NOT AN ARTIST, I JUST MAKE THINGS. THE THINGS I MAKE ARE A RESULT OF HOW MY HEART AND MIND DEALS WITH WHAT LIFE PUTS BEFORE ME. BY NATURE, SOME ARE PRIVATE, SOME ARE SAD OR ANGRY, AND SOME ARE HAPPY. BUT EVERY PIECE MUST HAVE A LIFE OF ITS OWN AND BE ABLE TO STAND WITHOUT EXPLANATION.

JAN. 7, 1985

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Please complete and return the following questionnaire for our reference file on Cleveland Artists.

FULL NAME: Michael Joseph Gutzwiller

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 4/30/60, Cincinnati, Ohio

PRIMARY MEDIA Sculpture

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.: BFA from Cleveland Institute of Art, '83

- Honorary Scholarship, '80, '81

(Scholarship) - Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture, '82

- one of two student members of CIA

Admissions Review Committee, '83

- Technical Assistant, Sculpture, '82-'83

school year

- student judge for '83 Craft Guild Show

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

- CIA student show - '82

" " " - '82, Womens City Club

" " " - '83, CIA

- CMA, May Show, '84

Gind Traveling Scholarship Nomination - '83

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

Several private collections in and out of Ohio

Purchases - '81 - CWRU - small limestone sculpture

'82 - Women's City Club - 3-D print

'82 - Skowhegan - New York artist, small sculpture

'83 - Student show - sandstone sculpture

- Elise Newman

'83 - Intaglio Print - Brent Young

'83 - Watercolor, Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy
Boston, Mass.

'84 - May show, small sculpture, Mrs. Norton
Rose

AWARDS:

PRESENT POSITION: Assistant Sculptor to Cleveland artist, David E. Davis
since July of '83

We would appreciate any information regarding subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships.
Thank you for your cooperation.